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# Expediting Planning and Environmental Review of Key Global Transportation Projects in the Intermountain West Region



UPDATE ON SHRP2 EFFORTS

# Today's Agenda

- Background on SHRP 2 Grant
  - Project Goals
- Presentations:
  - ADOT's Data and Online GIS by Patrick Whiteford, GISP, Senior GIS Analyst, ADOT
  - UDOT data tools by Becky Hjel, GIS Manager, UDOT
- Discussion and Next Steps



# Strategic Highway Research Program (SHRP2) Grant

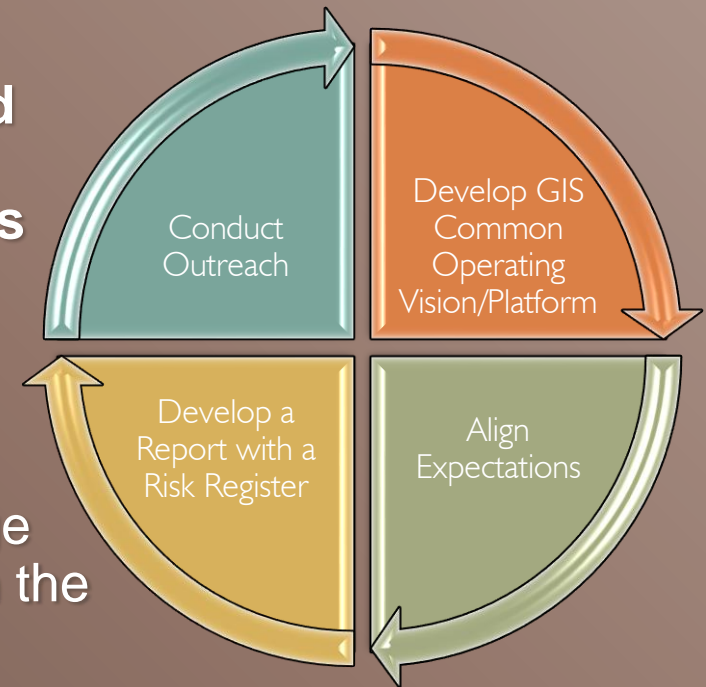
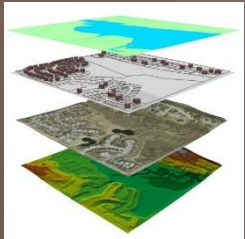


- Authorized by Congress to address some of the most pressing needs related to the nation's highway system
  - Save Lives. Save Money. Save Time.
  - Provide new research-based tools and innovative products and processes that will create more efficiencies and a smarter use of state and federal investments of taxpayer dollars
- FHWA awarded a grant to MAG to advance deployment of multi-objective solutions that expedite transportation project delivery in the **broader Intermountain West Region**
  - Collaborative effort with Western Regional Alliance
  - Partner with **MPOs, DOTs and TMAs to begin aligning priorities, expectations next steps**
  - Opportunity to work with other key partners (e.g. BLM, FHWA, NPS, DoD, USFWS; Tribal entities; State agencies; WGA, etc.)
  - Multi-phase effort



# Project Goals

- **Conduct outreach** to the MPOs, TMAs, State DOTs and other key stakeholders **to identify needs and potential gaps** related to **transportation and data resources**
- **Develop GIS Common Operating Vision/Platform** for easier data information sharing
- **Align expectations** for a long-range vision to move people and goods in the Intermountain West Region
- **Develop Report with Risk Register**



# GIS Common Operating Vision/Platform

- Provide decision makers with better situational awareness of the region and be able to make more fully informed decisions
- Build upon existing collaborative efforts to best leverage resources and eliminate redundancies
- Working collaboratively to:
  - **Assess available GIS data resources through survey**
  - Develop a common GIS vision/platform
  - Collaborate on data confictions, data standards and gaps
  - Develop best methods for sharing data



# Next Webinars

- Friday, November 21<sup>st</sup> at 10:00 a.m. Mountain/9 am Pacific
  - Spokane RTC & Western Governors' Association (WGA) presentation on Crucial Habitat Assessment Tool (CHAT)
- Friday, December 12<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. Mountain/ 9 a.m. Pacific
  - MAG, DRCOG, Western Regional Partnership (WRP)



# Next Steps and Request for Input

- Follow-up discussions with each of you on data collection, usage, licensing, coordination
  - Identify best methods for sharing data; data sharing constraints
- Identify GIS datasets/themes and data gaps/needs
- Upload Data
- Please provide your input on:
- MAG SHRP2

webpage: [http://www.azmag.gov/information\\_services/shrp2-expediting-project-delivery-grant.asp](http://www.azmag.gov/information_services/shrp2-expediting-project-delivery-grant.asp)





**Any Questions?**

